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FM AMEMBASSY GABORONE

TO AMCONSUL JOHANNESBURG

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 6638

AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN

AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

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TAGS: BTIO, BC

SUBJECT: SOFT DRINK CONCESSION - BOTSWANA

REF: JOHANNESBURG 738

FOR GUTHRIE

CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

1. PEPSI COLA REGIONAL MANAGER DESCH PHONED AMBASSADOR AFTERNOON OF MAY 27 WITH COMPLAINT NOTED PARA 2 OF REFTEL. HE WAS ASSURED IN NO UNCERTAIN TERMS THAT EMBASSY WAS NOT INVOLVED IN THIS CONCESSION AND THAT IT WAS USG POLICY NOT TO SHOW FAVORITISM WHERE TWO AMERICAN FIRMS NEGOTIATING FOR SAME CONTRACT.

2. AT DESCH'S REQUEST, HE WAS GIVEN NAME AND PHONE NUMBER OF PERMANENT SECRETARY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY MANNATHOKO SO THAT HE MIGHT PURSUE THE MATTER DIRECTLY WITH GOVERNMENT OF BOTSWANA.

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